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	<i>Filing Date</i>	November 27, 2000
	<i>First Named Inventor</i>	SOMA et al.
	<i>Group Art Unit</i>	1645
	<i>Examiner Name</i>	Shahnan Shah, Khatol S.
	<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	2935-221
<i>Title of the Invention:</i> ADDITIVES FOR CRUSTACEAN OR FISH FEEDS AND FEEDS		

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed December 4, 2002, please enter the amendments contained on the following pages, which are summarized below.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as shown on the following page.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 3, 5 and 11-14 without prejudice to future presentation.

Please amend claims 1, 2, 4, 6, 9, 10, 15, and 16 as shown on the following pages.

Marked-up copies of the claims currently being amended are attached. Material inserted is indicated by underlining and material deleted is indicated by strike through.